

September 25'

Newsletter



SLEDMERE
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Issue #01

Welcome back to you all!

We are delighted to welcome all our pupils, families, and staff back after the summer holidays. We hope you enjoyed a restful and refreshing break. As we begin this new school year, we look forward to the exciting opportunities ahead—working together to learn, grow, and achieve our very best. Here's to a fantastic year filled with new challenges, friendships, and successes.

Miss F. Dudley

School Uniform

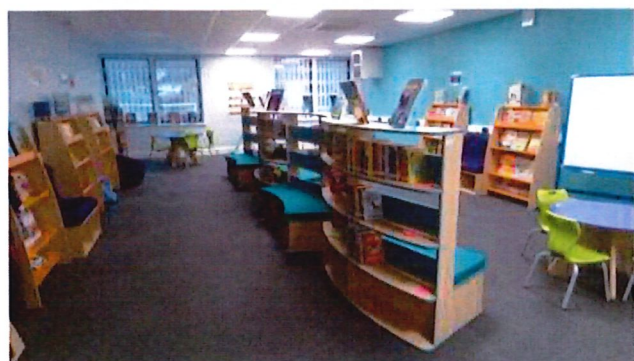
It has been wonderful to see all our pupils returning to school looking so smart and ready for the year ahead in their uniforms. We are grateful to parents and carers for their continued support in maintaining these high standards, which helps to create a strong sense of pride and belonging across our school community. We do understand that at times uniform can be a challenge, and if any family requires support, please do not hesitate to contact the school office, where we will be happy to help.

B A B Y

NEWS

Congratulations to Mrs Redding who gave birth to a beautiful baby girl during the Summer. Mom and baby are doing well and enjoying family life together. I'm sure you will join us in wishing them every happiness.

Your child will be coming home with lots of books over the coming weeks. Please help your child love these books as much as we do.



Attendance Matters!

Our whole school attendance target this year is:

96%

At Sledmere, we want every child to have the very best chance to learn, grow and succeed. A big part of this is being in school every day and arriving on time, ready to start the day. When children are present and punctual, they don't miss out on key learning and can make the most of every opportunity school has to offer.

We know mornings can sometimes be a challenge, but your efforts in getting your child here on time really do make a huge difference. Every day matters, and every lesson builds towards your child's progress and confidence. Please reach out to Miss Westwood if you need any support with attendance.

Thank you for your continued support in helping us give our pupils the very best start in life. Together, we can make sure they achieve their full potential.

Dates for the Diary



Goodbye

A Fond Farewell

We would like to share with you that Mrs Willis will be retiring on Wednesday the 17th of September. Mrs Willis has been a valued member of our school community for many years, dedicating her time, energy, and care to supporting our pupils and their families. Her commitment and passion have left a lasting impact, and she will be greatly missed by both colleagues and children alike. We thank her for her service and wish her the very best in this next exciting chapter of her life. You will be missed by students and colleagues alike.

Senior Leadership Team 2025/6

Miss Dudley - Acting Head of School
Mr Smith - Acting Deputy Head and UKS2 Phase Leader
Mrs Dowler - Assistant Head Teacher and LKS2 Phase Leader
Mrs Harris - Assistant Head Teacher, KS1 and EYFS Phase Leader
Mrs Cooper - SENCO

Safeguarding Team 2025/6

8th -12th September - Faith City Week

15th of September - Year 6 FunBus Trip

15th and 16th of September - Meet the Teacher

2nd of October - SEND Coffee Morning

8th of October - Parents Evening

AUTUMN TERM 2025

- **Term Time:** Monday 1st September 2025 to Friday 24th October 2025
- **Half term:** Monday 27th October 2025 to Friday 31st October 2025
- **Term Time:** Monday 3rd November 2025 to Friday 19th December 2025

SPRING TERM 2026

- **Term Time:** Monday 5th January 2026 to Friday 13th February 2026
- **Half term:** Monday 16th February 2026 to Friday 20th February 2026
- **Term Time:** Monday 1st June 2026 to Friday 27th March 2026

SUMMER TERM 2026

- **Term Time:** Monday 13th April 2026 to Friday 22nd May 2026
- **Half term:** Monday 25th May 2026 to Friday 29th May 2026
- **Term Time:** Monday 1st June 2026 to Monday 20th July 2026

INSET DATES

- Monday 1st September 2025
- Tuesday 2nd September 2025
- Monday 3rd November 2025
- Monday 5th January 2026
- Monday 20th July 2026



Keeping children safe is everyone's responsibility




SAFEGUARDING AT SLEDMERE PRIMARY SCHOOL

If you have any safeguarding concerns, please report them to one of our Designated Safeguarding Leads, who are pictured below:

 Miss F Dudley Acting Head of School DSL	 Mr D Ashbury Executive Headteacher DSL	 Mr S Smith Acting Deputy Headteacher DDSL
 Mrs E Cooper SENCO DDSL	 Miss L Price Family Support Worker DDSL	 Mrs J Shingler Designated Teacher DDSL

Should any of these members of staff not be available, or if there are any further concerns, please contact the following:
Safeguarding Governors: **Hayley Sharma** Local Authority Designated Officer: **Yvonne Nelson-Brown and Sukhchandan Kaur**



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